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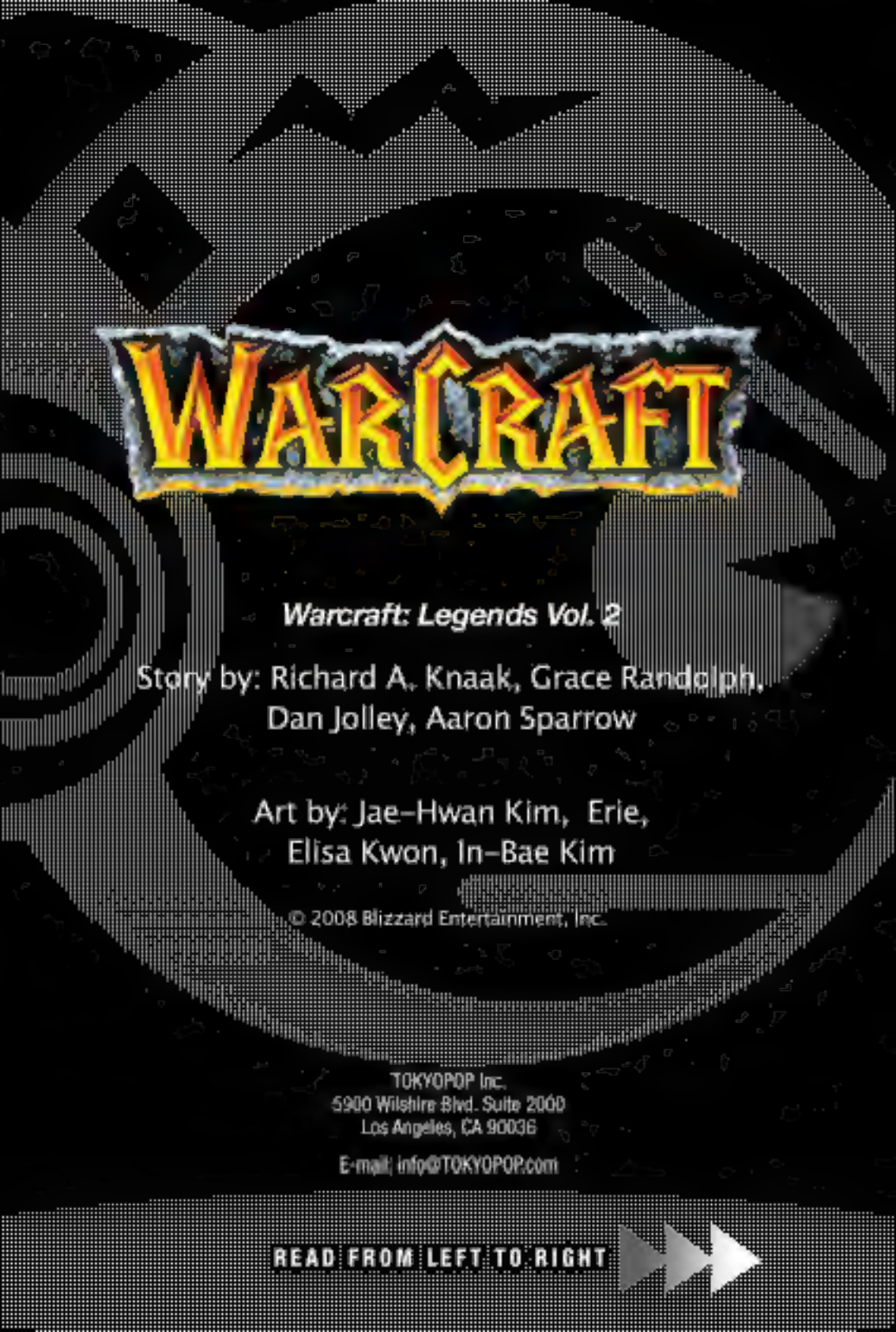

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FEAR
He had prayed he would be able to slip through the one lapse unseen...
...just as he confidently prayed to escape the voice in his head.
THWANG
But it seemed no deity or spirit listened any longer to his pleas...
Thag found it harder, and harder to care... just as he found it harder, and harder to make the urge to slay...

Harder and harder, now to become what the Lich King desired of him...
FWUMP
The two humans who had happened upon him would remain unaware of much of their good fortune.
For it was all Trag could do to not turn back, the desire for blood still so very strong.
He could only run...always aware that it was in the direction of Northrend toward which he ultimately sped.

And as they did each time
there was need to relive the
memories replayed...
Memories that began with the friendship with the human noble, Baron Valamar Morpel, in life a good, decent man...
...but in underneath, a malevolent, power-mad creature...
Thog still knew that he had had no choice but to stop his former friend's final aggression...
...but continued to wonder, as yet he would have...

...had he known what would befall him as a direct consequence.
Or what it might mean to those foolish enough to cross his path, either accidently...or willingly

?!?
There was no sign of any intruder...
But Thag sensed the earth was otherwise...
...and was determined that his pursuer would become the pursued...
...if only to drive the other away before the Lich King's evil whispers again took hold of the Earth.
The faint, lone print verified Thag's suspicions...
!!!
...and also pointed out to him what a great fool he was.

BAUTY
I MEAN YOU NO—
But the orc's words were replaced out by the Lich King's supernaturally-resurgent whisper...
KILL... KILL!
Came the command over and over...
And so, with his focus already disrupted, there was little he could do to stand against the Lich King's will.
KUNG
FWOOOSH
THWAK

RARRGH!!
THWANG
STAND AND FIGHT!!
STAND AND DIE!!

GRAAAAH!!
NNGH...!
THOOSH
KRAAK
SNAP!
LISTEN TO ME, NOBLE TAUREN! I AM NO ENEMY!
WHILE I MYSELF WAS SEEKING COMMUNION WITH THE SPIRITS OF THE LAND, I SENSED YOUR ANGUISHED PRESENCE AND CAME TO FIND OUT THE TRUTH...AND EVEN HELP IF I CAN...!

I WILL NOT RUN AND I WILL NOT HIDE!
I KNOW SOMETHING OF THE MAGIC OF FEAR AND IT RUNS THROUGH YOU
YOU KNOW NOTHING
FEAR IS A STRONGER FOE
THANK MOORE
THE LIGHTNING WOULD HAVE STRUCK HIM DEAD AT THE MOUTH OF THE CAVE, I THINK
I'VE KNOWN FEAR AS AN ALLY EVEN LONGER THAN YOURS, I THINK
FEAR THAT DRIVES MEN MAD AND MAKES THEM DO THE WORK OF THE DEVIL HIMSELF
I WAS MADE MY DOG HIS GLADIATOR
AND THAT HE FEARED A MAN LIKE BLACKMOORE

AND THOUGH I FOUND THEM, OR THEY FOUND ME—IT WAS INSTEAD MY FUTURE OF WHICH I LEARNED. THROUGH THE SHAMAN, DREKTHAR.
MY FATHER HAD BEEN CHIEFTAIN, BUT THAT CLAIM I COULD NOT MAKE UNLESS I PROVED MYSELF WORTHY.
AND I TELL WITHOUT PRIDE SO: DREKTHAR WOULD HAVE BEAT ME RUNNING. THE WOLVES AT MY HEELS.
MORE, THE ELDER SHAMAN SAW SOMETHING ELSE WITHIN ME OF GREATER IMPORTANCE. A TOUCH UPON MY SOUL THAT HE HAD NOT SEEN IN MANY A GENERATION.
A TIE TO THE GREAT SPIRITS THAT HAD SHUNNED ORCS SINCE OUR SEDUCTION BY DEMONS.
THE KERNEL OF WHAT, THROUGH ME, HE THOUGHT COULD BECOME OUR RACE'S REDEMPTION.
OUR RETURN TO THE ANCIENT WAYS. TO THE PATH OF SHAMANISM.

I CANNOT
YOU
YOU'VE PROVEN
MORE THAN ME
AND YOU
TO BE
AND THEY
PEACE AND
AMONG MY KIND
NO.
NO!!!
I SEE NOW THAT
THERE IS ONLY
AND

YOU INTEND TO JOURNEY TO NORTHWIND
IT IS THE ONLY WAY
WHATEVER THE COST I MUST BE WHOLLY FREE OF HIS AFFAIRS OR IF NOT DEATH MYSELF THEN
THEN I CANNOT AID YOU ONE WAY OFFER YOU SOME HELP IN ANOTHER
THE HORDE FLEE ALL NOBS BY DIRECTIONS NEAREST SHORES TO NORTHWIND THEY WILL BE SAILING SOON
TAKE MY MARK SHOULD YOU NEED TO SPEAK WITH ANY OF MY PEOPLE
I WILL SPEAK TO NO ONE LEST I ENDANGER THEM
BUT THANK YOU
YOU ARE KIND TO ONE WHO MIGHT HAVE SLAIN YOU
I MIGHT NOT HAVE DONE SO HAD I PROMISED IF YOU HAD TRIED
BUT I JUDGED YOU RIGHTLY
I WILL ASK THE SPIRITS TO WATCH OVER YOU TRAIL

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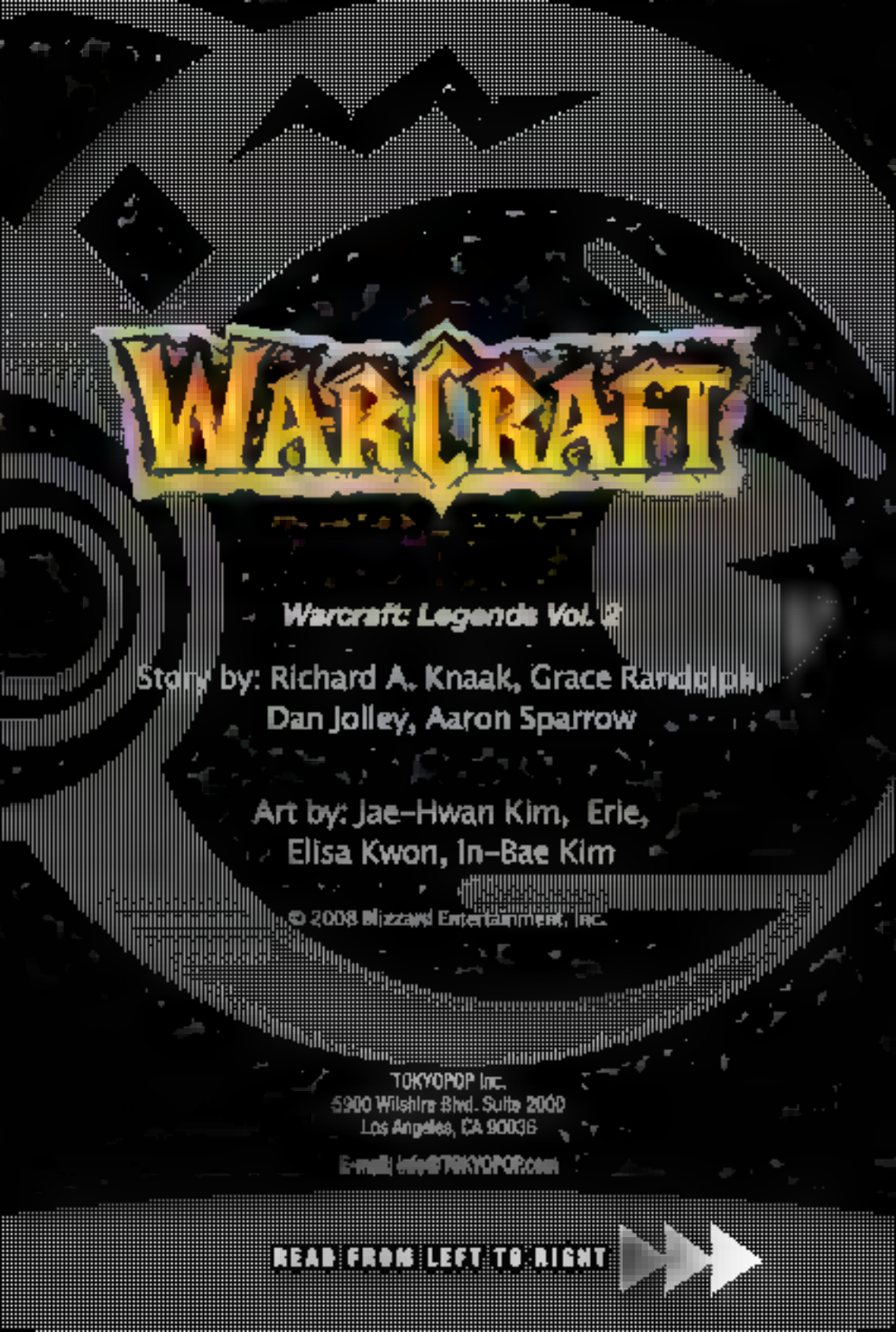

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WARRIOR: DIVIDED

Aetar Peak—home of the Wildhammer dwarves
GOOD, GOOD
THEY'RE HOLDING THE FORMATION WELL.
AYE!
THIS YEAR SEEMS TO BE YIELDING SOME OF OUR BEST GRYPHON RIDERS YET
BRING IT IN, YOUNG WARRIORS!

IF ONLY WE COULD STAY UP THERE ALL DAY
BUT ELDER HASTRAN HAS PROMISED TO TELL A STORY TONIGHT
WHAT SAY YOU, JARRE?
FLIGHT OR MERRIMENT TONIGHT?
ONE MUST HAVE INSPIRATION TO SOAR
AND IT CANNOT BE FOUND IN THE SKY.
HA HA! WELL PLAYED!
WELL, I SUPPOSE I DO ENJOY ELDER HASTRAN'S STORIES
HURRY. WE MUST SECURE A PLACE TO LISTEN NEAR HIS SIDE!

WHAT WILDHAMMER SITS ALONE?
I ALWAYS SIT ALONE, FOR I AM NOT A WILDHAMMER
HEREIN, NONE OF US CARE THAT YOU'RE HUMAN.
YOU'RE A WILDHAMMER TO US
IF THAT WERE NOT TRUE, YOU WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN HONORED WITH YOUR OWN STORMHAMMER
YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND.
NOR SHOULD HE UNDERSTAND SOMETHING THAT IS NOT HIS CONCERN.
I KNOW TONIGHT IS A NIGHT FOR STORIES, BUT DO YOU NOT HAVE A BETTER STORY FOR A FRIEND THAN YOUR OWN WORRIES?

DICK GRAYSON!
FOLLOW KARDAN!

EASY! HE MUSTN'T SEE US
QUEEN'DAHIL?
WHAT DOES KAEDAN WANT WITH AYSAN ELVES?
I'M SORRY, GRAYSCAIL, BUT THIS IS AS FAR AS YOU GO.

LOANNA?!
WHY DID YOU DRESS AS A DWARF?!

I AM LIEBEN OF ABRIS PEAK!
THIS IS HOW I ALWAYS DRESS.
YOU ARE LOANIA OF QUELDRAIL.
AND YOU LOOK BIZARRE.
DO YOU!
DO YOU KNOW ME, ELF?
ENOUGH OF THIS.
YOU SHOULD NOT EVEN BE OUT THIS LATE MUCH LESS PLAYING GAMES

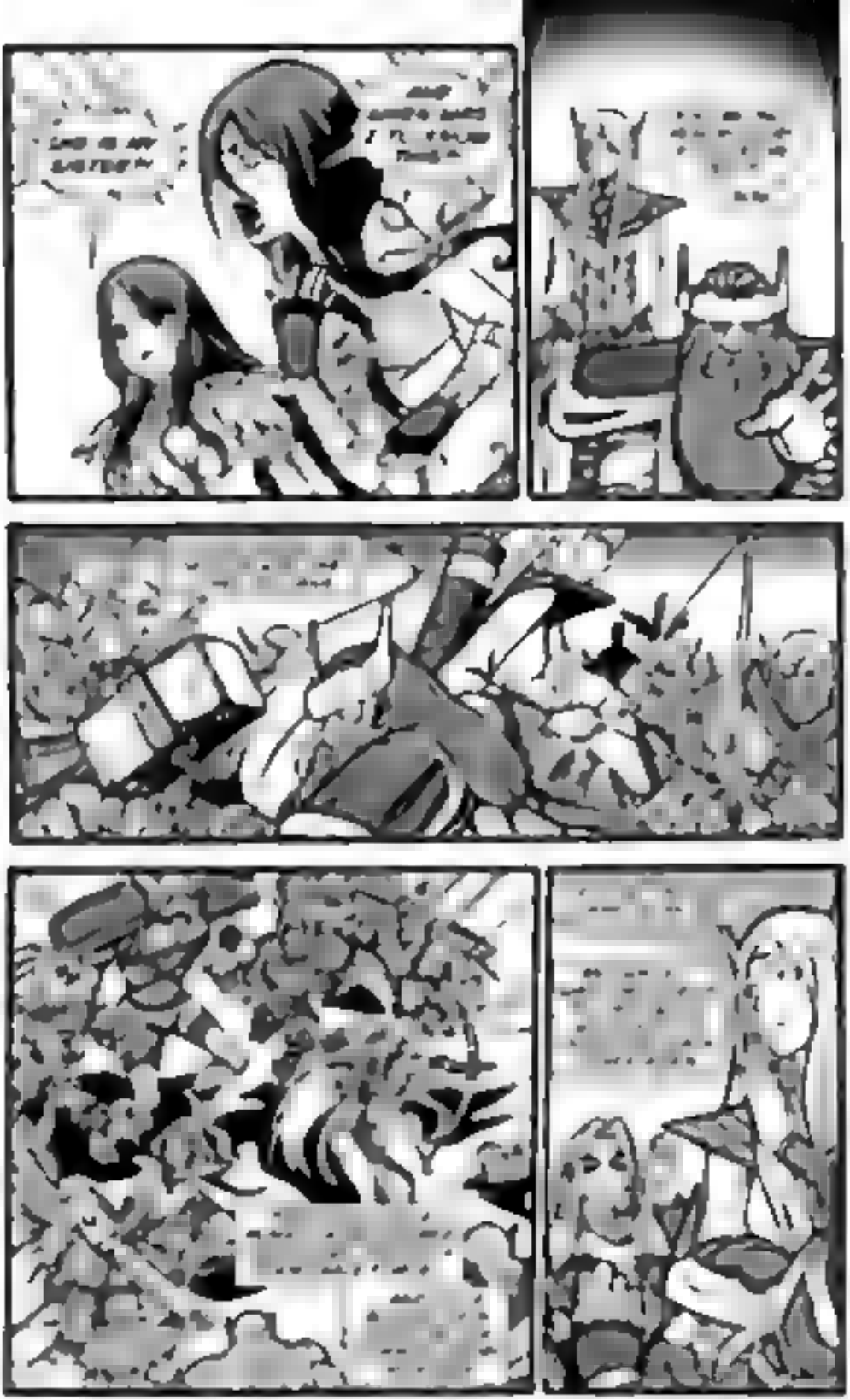
WHAT MAGIC IS THIS?!

YES, RAVIC. WHAT MAGIC AS THIS?
I AM NOT AMUSED.

THERE IS NO MAGIC HERE.
GO HOME, RAVIC. I SHALL HANDLE THIS.

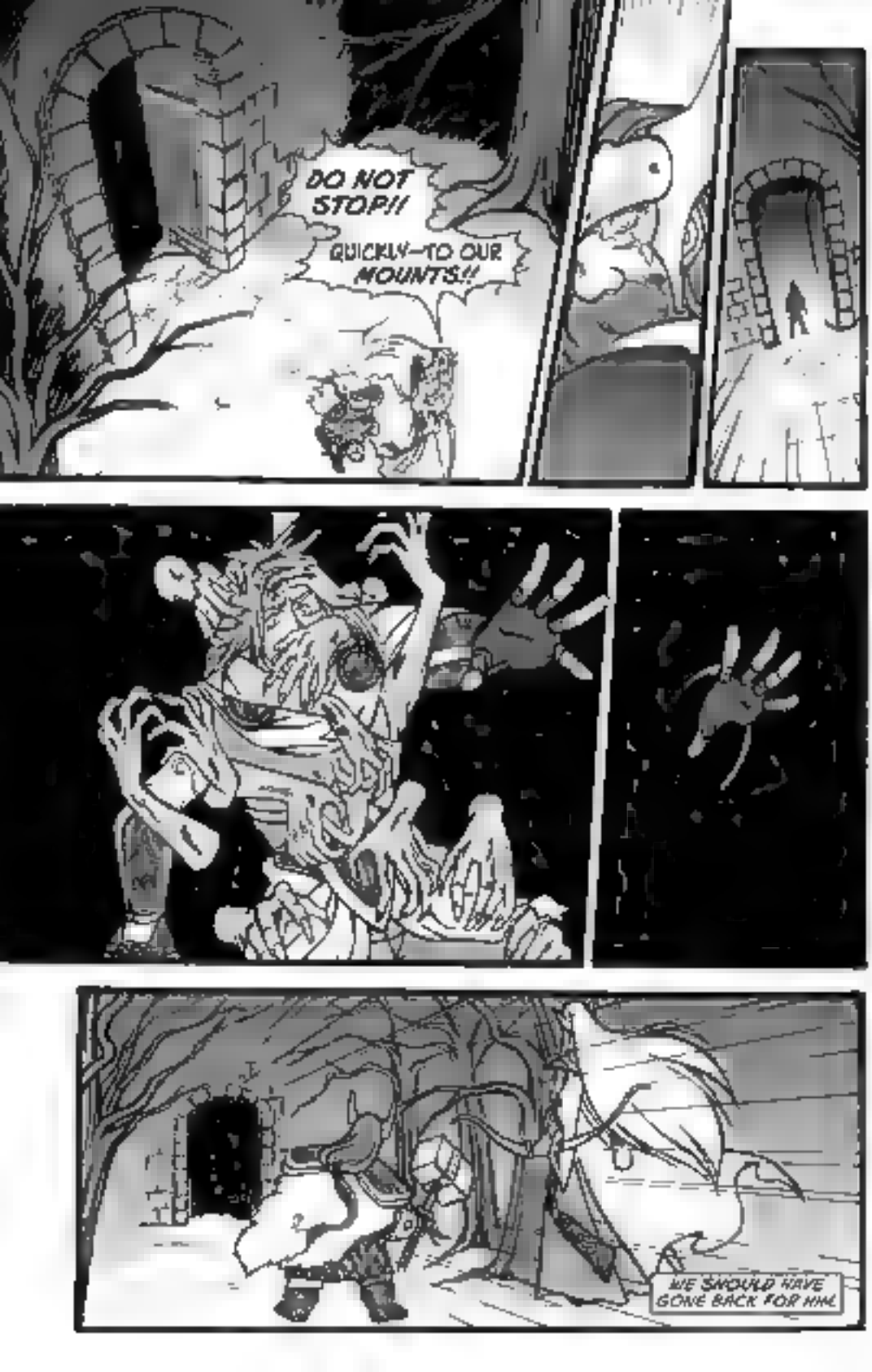
HA!
I WOULD NOT WASTE MY TIME CONJOCTING A RIDICULOUS VERSION OF YOU!
HEY!!
CLEARLY THIS IS YOUR DOING, JOANNA.
VANITY HAS LED YOU TO DUPLICATE YOURSELF!

PLEASE, COME INSIDE
I AM NOT AS EASILY CONVINCED AS HE!
WHAT BUT MAGIC COULD MOCK HE AS DOES THAT?!
HOW DO YOU COME TO THIS DOOR, HEREN?!
AND BE TRUTHFUL
WHY?!
YOU DO NOT BESTOW THE TRUTH UPON ME!!
YOU DO NOT-- THAT IS UNFAIR! I-
NO. IT IS I WHO IS UNFAIR
COME INSIDE, YOUNG ONE. THE TIME HAS COME TO HEAR YOUR STORY.
SO IF THIS TWINS IS NOT A PRODUCT OF MAGIC
THEN WHAT BE IT?
HER NAME IS LOMANA
AND I HAVE RAISED HER
JUST AS KARDAH HAS RAISED YOU
YOU ARE TWINS.



BUT IT TURNED OUT TO BE SOONER THAN WE THOUGHT AS YOU DARE AND MYSELF BOTH RECEIVED AN URGENT LETTER FROM DOUGAL
THE CONTENTS OF OUR FRIEND'S LETTER URGED US TO LEAVE FOR HIS HOME NEAR ARAND IMMEDIATELY
UPON ARRIVAL WE KNEW IMMEDIATELY WHY DOUGAL HAD SUMMONED US
FOR WHILE IT WAS MIDDAY IT APPEARED AS IF PAND HAD LET TO BE DARK AS NIGHT
THANK GOODNESS YOU'VE COME

WAIT!
NO FINAL HORROR!
YOU MUST TELL US EVERYTHING
IT IS MY CHOICE WHAT I TELL YOU!
I KNOW NOTHING OF MY FATHER YET YOU REFUSE TO SHARE WHAT LITTLE KNOWLEDGE OF HIM YOU POSSESS?!
LIEREN, I CARE FOR YOU, WHICH IS WHY I KNOW THERE ARE CERTAIN THINGS THAT WOULD BE TOO DIFFICULT FOR YOU TO HEAR
LIEREN, AS MUCH AS I WOULD LIKE TO HEAR MORE OF OUR FATHER AS WELL...
I DO NOT THINK ARE WOULD HAVE WANTED HIS SUFFERING TO DEFINE HIM FOR US.
VERY WELL.
BUT I INSIST ON KNOWING HIS ULTIMATE FATE
IT IS WITH HEAVY HEART I AGREE
SO I SHALL PICK UP YOUR FATHER'S STORY UPON OUR RETREAT FROM KARAZHAN.


DO NOT STOP!!
QUICKLY—TO OUR MOUNTS!!
WE SHOULD HAVE GONE BACK FOR HIM.

BUT LIKE COWARDS WE RETURNED.
TO HIS BRIDGE.
UPON HEARING OF HER HUSBAND'S FATE HIS WIFE ADEVA FELL SILENT FOR DAYS.
WE TRIED TO REACH HER BUT WE COULD NOT.
AND WHEN DAYS TURNED INTO WEEKS, WE CONCLUDED THAT ADEVA'S GRIEF HAD BROKEN HER SPIRIT
THE CURSE ON THIS TOWN HAS COME FROM KARAZHAN.
BUT THE CURSE ON THIS FAMILY IS OUR OWN DOING.
THEN WE SHALL DO WHAT WE CAN TO RIGHT IT.

WE FOUND A HEALER NEAR RIVEN HILL TO CARE FOR ADENA
LEAVING ONLY THE DILEMMA OF DOUGAN AND ADELAIDE'S TWIN DAUGHTERS.
DOUGAN HAD NO FAMILY TO SPEAK OF IN UPPER HAMLET BUT EVEN IF HE DID WE WOULD NOT LEAVE INNOCENT CHILDREN IN A TOWN THAT WAS CURSED
SO WE EACH TOOK ONE OF YOU TO RAISE AS OUR OWN
WE PLANNED TO TELL YOU BOTH THIS WHEN YOU WERE OLDER AND BETTER FIT TO UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT WHAT HAPPENED
WHAT IS THERE TO UNDERSTAND ABOUT HAVING A SISTER?!
MY MOTHER LIVES?!
WE WE DID NOT WANT YOU TO GROW UP PLAGUED BY SADNESS

YOU WILL TAKE US TO SEE OUR MOTHER—NOW!
IT IS NOT SO SIMPLE!
IT IS AS SIMPLE AS GOING TO THE GRAND KANLET!
THERE IS NO MORE GRAND KANLET! ONLY DARKSHIRE!
WE WERE BORN OF DARKSHIRE?
YOU LIE!
YOU ME TO KEEP US FROM OUR MOTHER!
SO CURSED IS GRAND KANLET IT HAS BECOME KNOWN AS DARKSHIRE.
PLEASE, IT IS TOO DANGEROUS A PLACE FOR CHILDREN.
WE ARE NOT CHILDREN!
AND WE WISH TO MEET OUR REAL PARENT!
HOW CAN YOU DENY US THIS?
IF THAT IS WHAT YOU BOTH WISH.
WE WILL LEAVE IN THE MORNING, WHEN IT IS SAFEST TO MAKE SUCH A JOURNEY.

HAVE YOU NOT ALREADY GROWN TIRED OF MY FACE.
FROM ALL THE TIMES YOU'VE LOOKED UPON A MIRROR?
YOU ARE NOT FURIOUS AT THIS ABUSE?!
FORGIVE ME. BUT I HAVE NEVER SEEN MY FACE CONTORTED WITH SUCH RAGE.
HAS KARDAN ?

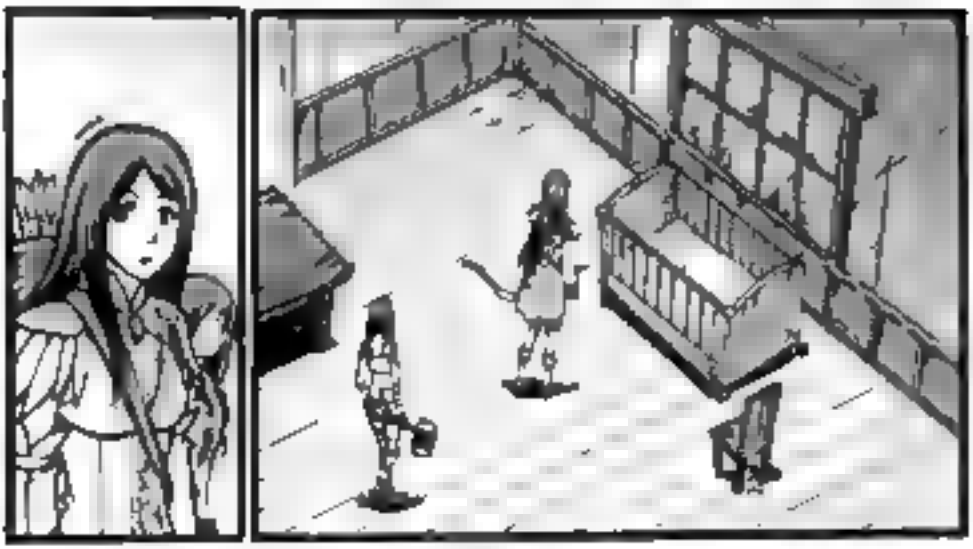
NO! KARDAN HAS NEVER STRUCK ME
KARDAN HAS. HAS.
KARDAN HAS BETRAYED ME!
I AGREE THEY WERE WRONG TO KEEP US FROM EACH OTHER AND OUR MOTHER FOR SO LONG.
BUT IT HAS BEEN A GOOD LIFE WITH VOLDANA
HOW CAN YOU SAY THAT?!
WE ARE HUMANS NOT RAISED BY OUR KIND!
HAVE YOU NOT FELT ALONE EVER SINCE YOU CAN REMEMBER?

THE HIGH ELVES ARE A RARE PEOPLE.
MY OWN STRUGGLE TO FIND MY PLACE IN THIS WORLD IS ECHOED BY THEIR OWN.
WELL, THE WILDHAMMERS ARE A PROUD AND MIGHTY RACE. THEY'RE WHILE UNITED AS ONE!
DESPITE THEIR PROWESS, MY VICTORIES WILL NEVER BE A PART OF THEIR LEGACY.
WE SHALL CREATE OUR OWN LEGACY, SISTER.
YOUR TIME WITH THESE ELVES HAS MADE YOU SOFT.
AND YOU SMELL FUNNY.
TOMORROW, WE MEET OUR MOTHER.

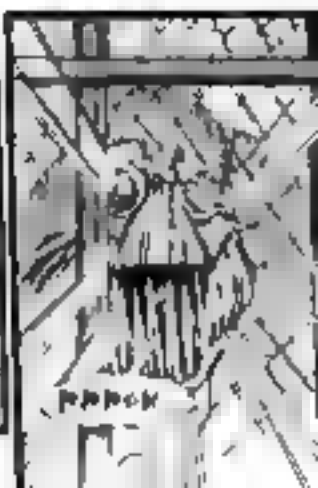
THERE!
BUCKWOOD,
HOME OF
DARKSHIRE
AS I REMEMBER,
DOUGAN AND ADENA'S
HOME IS NEAR
WE SHOULD
LAND THERE

WHICH WAY?
I BELIEVE TO THE EAST
LIEREN, WAIT.
LIEREN!!
LOANN!!
AH!

APPEARS ABANDONED
...I CANNOT BE



OH, HEAVEN
- YOU!



CRASSH!
Grrrrr!

IT IS NOT SAFE TO TRAVEL THE OLDEN DUSKWOOD WITHOUT ASSISTANCE
WE MUST KNOW YOU HAVE THIS REASON WHY WE ARE STRANGERS
WE ARE NOT STRANGERS
WE ARE THE DAUGHTERS OF SIR PALADIN BOUSAN AND HIS WIFE ADENA
WHERE IS YOUR MOTHER
YOUR MOTHER WANTS TO SEE YOU IN DARKMIRE

COMMANDER EBONLOCKE! THESE YOUNG WOMEN SAY THEY ARE THE CHILDREN OF THE PALADIN DOUGAN
AND HIS WIFE, ADENA
YOU HAVE MUCH TO ANSWER UP TO, DAUGHTERS OF DOUGAN
IF YOU CAN TELL US WHERE TO FIND HER WE SHALL LEAVE YOU TO YOUR WORK.
BUT SURELY YOU DO NOT COME HERE LOOKING FOR HER, AS YOU MUST KNOW!
WE'VE COME TO SEE OUR MOTHER.
ADENA IS DEAD.
THEN TAKE US TO HER GRAVE.

RAVEN HAS BEEN IS A DANGEROUS PLACE
YOUR MOTHER WOULD NOT HAVE WANTED YOU TO RISK YOUR LIFE
JUST AS SHE DID NOT WISH TO RAISE HER DAUGHTERS?!
IT IS HIGH TIME YOU STOPPED SPEAKING FOR MY MOTHER, CAPTAIN!
COMMANDER EBONLOCKE TOLD US OUR MOTHER TOOK HER OWN LIFE SHORTLY AFTER YOU LEFT WITH US
OUR MOTHER'S FATE WAS HARD TO HEAR

PAAA-eeh!
STOP
NO!!!
KA-THOOM

THEY MUST NOT REACH DARKSHIRE!!

I CANNOT PROTECT FARFARA!!
WAIT...
I...
BOY!! I SHALL SEE TO HIM!!
HUHH!!
WOOSH

WHY DO YOU PROTEST?!
DO YOU NOT KNOW THAT TO KILL AN UNDEAD IS TO FREE THEIR SOUL?!
SHE IS NOT YOURS TO FREE.

RETURN TO KARDAN
I DO THIS ALONE
NO TOGETHER
COME THEN

RRRRR?
I AM ASHAMED THERE WAS A TIME I THOUGHT MY OWN SUFFERING UNBEARABLE.

IT IS A FINE RESTING PLACE
YES
I HEAR BOTH OUR HOMES NOW THEY RUN LOST WERE MOTHER OFTEN
DO YOU THINK IT'S SAFE TO SAY WE HAVE FINALLY DONE WELL BY DOUGAN AND ADELE?
AS WELL AS WE COULD SEE.
I THINK WE CAN SAY THAT INDEED

I... I HAVE CHOSEN TO FORGIVE YOU, DANA.
WHAT HAVE YOU DECIDED TOWARD XARDAN?
HE HAS DEVOTED HIS LIFE TO ME FOR OUR PARENTS. AND FOR THAT I AM HONORED TO CALL HIM FATHER.
I TRUST YOU WILL VISIT ME AT AERIS PEAK?
YES. JUST AS I HOPE YOU SHALL COME TO GUELDAHL.
IT IS A PROMISE.
AND I AM ALSO HONORED TO CALL YOU SISTER.

JUST AS IT IS A PROMISE THAT WHEN WE ARE OLDER
WE SHALL GO TO KARAZHAN AND FREE OUR FATHER'S SOUL AS WE HAVE OUR MOTHER'S.
IT IS. OUR LEGACY.
END

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MILES TO GO

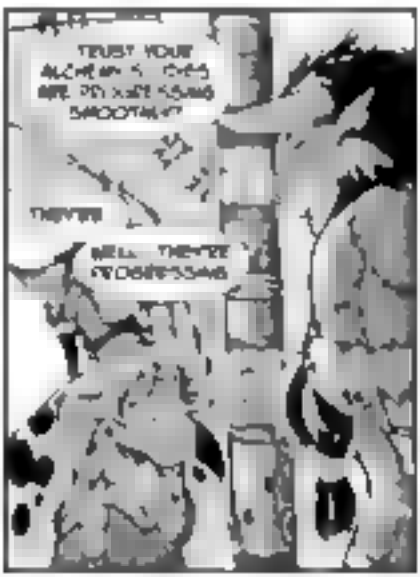
THUNDER BLUFF
COME ON DON'T CRUMBLE ON ME AGAIN

ALL RIGHT. GOT THE BLINDWEED
STEADY. STEADY.

KOOMP
CHEATING

EVEN IF
LOOK, I DON'T
KEVIN BROADHURST
COME WITH ME IMMEDIATELY
YOUR PRESENCE HAS BEEN REQUESTED BY ELDER NAGATHA SPARTOTEAU
BEGGING YOUR PARDON, MISS, BUT SO BEING
WONDER WHAT THIS COULD BE?
SOUNDS TERRIBLY OFFICIAL, DOESN'T IT?
YOU BE ON YOUR BEST BEHAVIOR, YOUNG LADY.
AND TRY NOT TO BE SO HARD-HEADED, IF THAT'S POSSIBLE

YES KOVA PLEASE COME IN



HE HE... I SUPPOSE THAT WILL DO
COME WALK WITH ME CHILD
WE HAVE AN URGENT MATTER TO DISCUSS
A MATTER FOR UH... YOU ARE PERFECTLY SUITED
UM, OF COURSE I WILL BE YOU MISTRESS
THERE IS A SEER WHOSE OPINION MY MASTER I VALUE HIGHLY
HER NAME IS SHAMEELA, AND SHE WANTS ME AND THREE HEALERS OUT OF SOME SEEK HER COUNSEL NOW
AND RUMOR HAS IT THAT SHE IS BEING SEEN HAD MOUTH OF MYST IN A DISTANT DANGER BUT UNTIL YOUR INVOLVEMENT BEGINS
REALLY?
WHAT WOULD YOU HAVE ME DO?
I MI I HAVE SEVERAL POTIONS THAT COULD BE USEFUL TO WHOMEVER YOU SEND TO FIND HER
YOU WILL GO AND FIND HER, EDNA
FIND HER AND BRING HER BACK TO ME

WHA--? BUT- ME?
I-I I CAN'T!!
OF COURSE YOU CAN

BUT I'M NO ADVENTURER!
I'VE NEVER EVEN LEFT MULGORE!

JUST LET THE IDEA SINK IN FOR A FEW MOMENTS.
YOU DON'T HAVE TO LEAVE FOR OH, I'D SAY ANOTHER MOUSE MINUTE!

MISTRESS MAGNATHA, WITH ALL DUE RESPECT AND SINCERITY.
I CAN'T IMAGINE A POORER CHOICE FOR THIS.
I STUDY NATURE. I PICK FLOWERS!
YOU DO MORE THAN PICK FLOWERS, KOVA.
I KNOW WHAT YOU DID AT RED ROCKS.
THE TIDE OF THAT BATTLE TURNED THANKS TO YOU.
THERE IS STEEL IN YOUR SOUL, YOUNG ONE.
IT NEEDS ONLY TO BE TEMPERED.
BUT ALONE?
HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO FIND MY WAY? WHERE AM I EVEN GOING?
OH. I NEVER SAID YOU'D BE TRAVELING ALONE.

I HAVE FORESEEN A COMPANION
ONE YOU WILL NOT EXPECT
FOLLOW THE ROAD THROUGH THE BARRENS TO THE GOBLIN TOWN OF RATCHET
THERE YOU WILL FIND YOUR COMPANION ONE YOU SHALL RECOGNIZE BY A BURNING CLAW

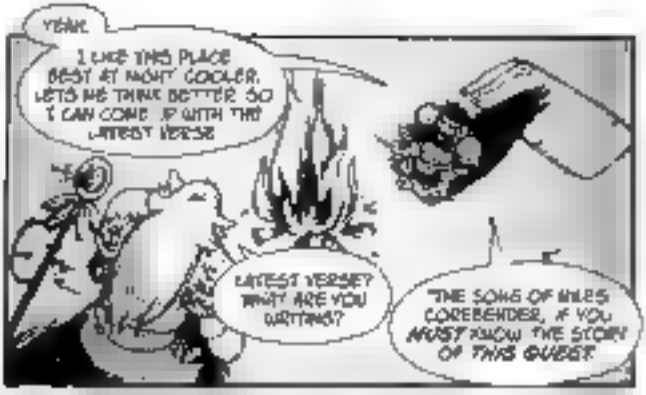
AAH!
BEG YOUR PARDON
LOOK OUT!!
HE'S CRAZY!!!!
KPASS!
RUN FOR YOUR LIVES!!!
RUN, MON!!!
GO GO GO GO!!!
THKLE
CRASH!

THAT'S RIGHT, YOU SNIVELING COWARDS!! RUN!!
RUN, BEFORE I BREAK A FOOT OFF IN YOUR LOUSY BACKSIDES!!
YOU'LL NOT FORGET THE NAME MILES COREBENDER!!!
OH, YOU'VE GOT TO BE KIDDING ME.

SO YOU'RE SAYING YOU ACTUALLY DREAMED ABOUT ME?
I HAD DREAMS OF A BROAD-HORNED BLACK-AND-WHITE COW AND SOME SORT OF QUEST I HAD TO UNDERTAKE.
I WAS THINKING THAT TO BE MORE UH, METAPHORICAL THAN LITERAL.
WELL, I CERTAINLY WASN'T EXPECTING TO FIND MASATHA'S "BURNING CLAW" IN A GINCHIE. SO I SUPPOSE WE'RE EVEN.
THIS IS RIDICULOUS.
A GINCHIE AND A TAURIEN.
NO OFFENSE, MR. LORDBENDER--WE'LL NOT ATTACH OFFENSE ANYWAY--BUT HOW ARE YOU EVEN SUPPOSED TO KEEP UP WITH ME?
"HOW AM I...?"
DON'T YOU WORRY ABOUT THAT!

I'VE GOT THE FINEST IN GNOMISH ENGINEERING AT MY DISPOSAL.
CLANK
CLANK
SEE?
READY TO GO.
OH, FAHEW! YOU, UH...
YOU RIDE A SMOKE-BELCHING MECHANICAL CHICKEN?
DON'T PUSH YOUR LUCK WITH ME COW-GIRL.
THAT'S THE FINEST IN GNOMISH ENGINEERING, IS IT?
CLAW UP!
HEE HEE HEE

NO WONDER IT'S CALLED "THOUSAND NEEDLES."


YEAH.
I LIKE THIS PLACE BEST AT NIGHT. COOLER. LETS ME THINK BETTER. SO I CAN COME UP WITH THE LATEST VERSE
LATEST VERSE? WHAT ARE YOU WRITING?
"THE SONG OF MILES CORBENDER, IF YOU MUST KNOW THE STORY OF THIS QUEST.

OH, I SEE.
THIS IS ALL ABOUT YOU, IS IT? THIS IS YOUR QUEST?
WELL, OF COURSE IT IS.
CLEARLY YOU COULDN'T DO THIS WITHOUT ME OTHERWISE YOUR AGATHA WOULDN'T HAVE SENT YOU TO ME.
WANTED TO HAVE AN EPIC SONG SUNG ABOUT ME FOR YEARS. HAVE IT'S WHAT I'VE ALWAYS WORKED TOWARD!

MR. CORBENDER.
OF ALL THE RIDICULOUS, EGOTISTICAL THINGS I'VE EVER HEARD.
LISTEN, I DON'T NEED YOUR YOUR

HU-WARK!!!

GREAT JUMPING GYROS. ARE YOU RE-CHEWING YOUR VEGGIES?!
IF BY "RE-CHEWING," YOU MEAN CHEWING MY CUD. THEN YES.
YES, I AM
THAT'S THAT'S DISGUSTING.
I SULK! YOU'RE JUST JEALOUS

RRWD

STAND BACK.
GET OUT OF THE WAY!!
NOT LIKELY, COW-GIRL.
YOU JUST STAY OVER THERE.
AND MAKE SURE YOU DON'T CHIP A HOOF.
"CHIP A HOOF." MY TAIL.
BRING IT ON, YOU FEATHERED FREAKS!!
I'LL MAKE YOU ALL WISH YOU'D NEVER BEEN HATCHED!!

NO STEEL WAS EVER A MATCH FOR A GOOD BOLT OF LIGHTNING!
KRAZZAKK
RHCCCCCE!!!
GAAH!!
WHAT THE HELL DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?!
DO YOU NOT SEE THE FORTY-ODD POUNDS OF METAL I'VE GOT STRAPPED ALL OVER ME?!
ARE YOU BLIND OR JUST A MORON?!
WHUMP
DON'T YOU YEL AT ME, YOU FURRY LITTLE RUNT!
GOT RID OF THAT HEAVY IN A TENTH THE TIME I WOULD'VE TAKEN YOU!!!

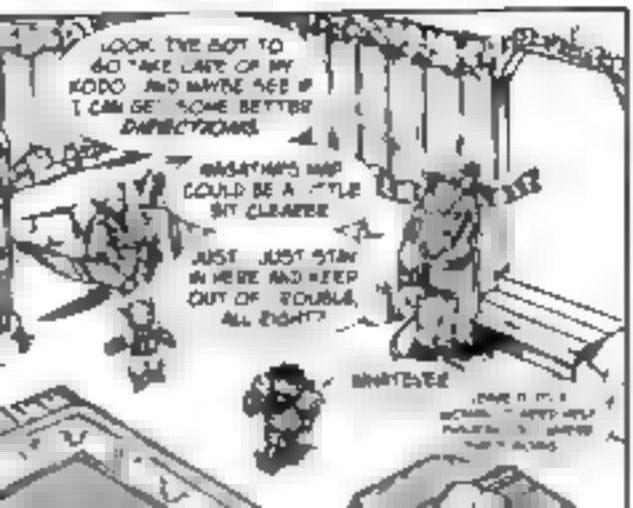
FIRE!!!
FIRE!!!
BEHHAAAA!!!

YOU KNOW YOU COULD'VE LET ME IN ABOUT ALL THE DRAMA STUFF BEFOREHAND!
IT DIDN'T COME UP
OH, RIGHT. THAT'S THE KIND OF THING YOU JUST NEGLECT TO MENTION
THAT'S PLAUSIBLE
BELIEVE ME OR DON'T
FAMOUS
GAH!
YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO ACCEPT THAT I DESERVE A LITTLE MYSTERY AROUND
SAY YOU ARE ALL THE MOST LOATHSOME AFTERTHOUGHT OF A PERSON

YOU EVER BEEN HERE BEFORE, AVATAR?
IT'S COMPENDIUM, YOU GET IT. QUIT SLURPING OUT

THAT'S IT, KNEE HIGH Y'ER GIANT TO GO AGAIN!?
THEN GIVE ME YOUR BEST

SHOT!
GOT AN EYEFUL, HAVE YOU, LOUT?!
MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS!


LOOK, I'VE GOT TO GO TAKE CARE OF MY KODO AND MAYBE SEE IF I CAN GET SOME BETTER DIRECTIONS.
MAYBE THIS MAP COULD BE A LITTLE BIT CLEARER
JUST... JUST STAY IN HERE AND KEEP OUT OF TROUBLE, ALL RIGHT?
WHATEVER

BARKEEP!
A RUS OF YOUR FINEST!

SO I'VE HAD TO PUT UP WITH THAT THAT COOK FOR DAYS NOW. NORMING IN ON MY QUEST
AND ALL FOR THIS SEER THAT I DON'T GIVE A RAT'S TAIL ABOUT IN THE FIRST PLACE
WELL... THAT IS QUITE A STORY

OH, BUT LOOK AT THE TIME!
HEY, WAIT. AT LEAST LET ME BUY YOU A ROUND.
OH, NO, NO, MASTER CORESBINDER.
YOU'VE DONE QUITE ENOUGH FOR ME ALREADY.

HA HA HA HA HA...

YOU READY TO GO?
YEEEAH.
YEAH, LET'S GET MOVING.

WELL, AT LEAST I FINALLY KNOW THE NAME OF THE PLACE MISTRESS MASATHA'S MAP POINTS TO.
THE STABLE MASTER TOLD ME WHILE YOU WERE IN THE INN GETTING SLOSHED.
OH?
I WASN'T SLOSHED!
OF COURSE NOT.
GRUMBLE! WELL? WHAT'S IT CALLED, THEN?
UNGORD CRATER.
I DON'T SEE ANY CRATER. ALL I SEE IS SAND, SAND AND MORE SAND.
THEN SOME HYENAS AND SCORPIONS AND SAND.
'COURSE COMPARED WITH THOSE TROLLS WE PASSED, THE HYENAS LOOK DOWNRIGHT FRIENDLY.
HEY- BOREBENDER
WHAT ARE THOSE THINGS?
I DON'T KNOW.
BUT IF YOU CALL ME "BOREBENDER" ONE MORE TIME I'M GOING TO FEED YOU TO THEM. JUST KEEP RIDING.
AW, YOU'RE SO CUTE WHEN YOU TRY TO BE THREATENING.

ARE WE THERE YET?
EXCUSE ME?
YOU'VE GOT THE MAP. ARE WE THERE YET?
WELL...
I'D HAVE TO SAY YES.

I DON'T KNOW
DON'T KNOW
ALTITUDE
HOW DO YOU FIT
WILL YOU BE
DO YOU NOT
LIZARD THINGS
OH NO, I
YOU'RE A
ONE DAY

ALL RIGHT THIS IS THE END OF THE LINE
MAGATHA'S MAP POINTED US HERE
DON'T SEE TOO MANY TRAVELERS AROUND THESE PARTS.
WHAT BRINGS YOU TO THIS GODS-FORSAKEN CORNER OF CRAWLING GREEN HELL?
IF YOU HATE THE PLACE SO MUCH, WHY DO YOU STAY?
CRYSTALS MAKE FLORA RESEARCH THERE'S GOOD MONEY IN IT
BELIEVE ME, IF THERE WEREN'T, I'D BE KICKING BACK IN STORMWIND WITH A BEER STEIN IN MY HAND AND A WENCH ON MY KNEE
THAT DOES SOUND PRETTY GOOD
AHEM ABOUT WHAT WE'VE DOING HERE
WE'RE LOOKING FOR SOMEONE A SEER NAME OF DHAMBEELA
DHAMBEELA. NAME RINGS A BELL.
WAIT YEAH SHE PASSED THROUGH A COUPLE WEEKS AGO
LAST I SAW HER SHE WAS WANDERING OFF TO THE SOUTH- THE OTHER SIDE OF THE TAR PITS.
I DON'T KNOW THAT I'D PUT TOO MUCH HOPE IN SEEING HER, THOUGH.
THE THINGS OUT THERE ON THE CRATER FLOOR
WELL LET'S JUST SAY THAT'S WHY WE'RE UP HERE AMONG THE ROCKS.
THERE'S ONE CALLED ATAHE MOSAK HE'S THE WORST OF THE WORST
JUST WATCH YOURSELVES, IF YOU'RE GOING OUT THERE.
DIMETRODONS, PTERODAX, DEVILSAURS, ESPECIALLY

IT'S BAD NOT TO COME BACK
OH GRAD

ARE YOU THINKING WHAT I'M THINKING?
THAT DEPENDS.
IS IT, "I THINK I SEE A CAVE UP THERE, AND I BET THAT'S WHERE WE'RE GOING TO FIND SHANREELA"?
PRETTY MUCH.
THEN YES, I'M THINKING WHAT YOU'RE THINKING.
WELL, LET'S GET TO IT, THEN

I SAW YOU AT THE INN
WHY'D YOU FOLLOW US?
THIS IS NONE OF YOUR CONCERN
BOMB AT ALL!
WELL YOUR LITTLE FRIEND HAD SOME KING OF AN AMBUSH THAT DOESN'T ME
HE DEFINITELY TOLD ME ENOUGH ABOUT YOUR SECRET MISSION WHEN HE WAS ON HIS KNEES BACK IN ORGRIMMAR
A BEER YOU'RE BUYING, YES?
MUST BE WORTH AN AWFUL LOT FOR THE THUNDER BLUFF BLOKES AND PEOPLE AFTER HER AM I RIGHT?

YOU... YOU TOLD HIM?
YOU TOLD A COMPLETE STRANGER ABOUT OUR QUEST?!
I TOLD HIM ABOUT MY QUEST, CONBRAWL
BUT YOU'RE RIGHT
GAUGH
YOU W-WORTHLESS V-VITTLE-
IT'S NONE OF HIS CONCERN!
GAAAH!!
HOLD STILL, YOU SCALAWAG!
I'LL PIN YOU TO THE GROUND!

NO!!
KOVA, WHAT'VE YOU DONE?!
WHERE DID HE GO?!
SO YOU SEE HIM?!
LOOK, HE'S GONE ALL RIGHT?
COME ON, LET'S JUST DO THIS BEFORE HE COMES BACK

I DOUBT OUT THIS PLACE

ARRE SENT YOU?
WELL WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY SO IN THE FIRST PLACE!

OF COURSE I'LL GO WITH YOU!
JUST LET ME GATHER A FEW THINGS

QUITE CLEVER OF YOU, I MUST SAY TO HAVE FOUND A WAY UP AND DOWN THE RIDGE THAT AVOIDS THE FIRE ELEMENTALS
WASN'T TOO DIFFICULT
WITH ANY LUCK WE'LL MAKE IT OUT OF HERE WITHOUT ANY MAJOR PROBLEMS AT-

AH

UH. THAT WASN'T THERE WHEN WE STARTED UP THE RIDGE
IT WASN'T KILLED BY AN ANIMAL, EITHER
SOMEONE SLAUGHTERED IT AND PLACED IT HERE
OH NO

IT WAS BAIT!
KRAK
UHHH...!
FWUUMP

I'LL BE TAKIN' THE LADY OFF YOUR HANDS NOW, YOU GREAT SIDE OF BEEF!
ENJOY KING KOSH'S HOSPITALITY!
BWAHAHAHA!
COMMANDER!
GAHHH!!!
ALL RIGHT. I CAN'D BREATH.
COME ON!!!
GRRROOOO

GUESS YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND
WHEN YOU FIGHT A SHAMAN, YOU'RE NOT JUST FIGHTING A SHAMAN
YOU'RE FIGHTING ALL OF NATURE ITSELF!!!
KRAKABOOOM

FWASH!

GRRHHHHH
TASTY STUFF YOU'LL HAVE TO DO BETTER
MAKES A GNOME STRONG!
SCHINK
KRUHHHHHHH

COME ON, COME ON!
YOU'VE GOT TO CARRY HER!
WH- WHAT? CARRY WHO?
GHANBOELA!
I'M NOT TALL ENOUGH!
I HOPE YOU DON'T MIND!
I PUT THIS RUDE YOUNG MAN TO SLEEP FOR A WHILE!
COME ON, LET'S GO, LET'S GO!
I DON'T WANT TO BE HERE WHEN THAT GIANT SET OF TEETH WAKES UP!
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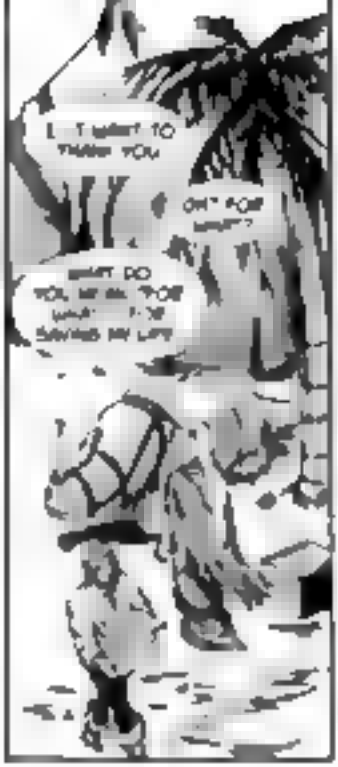
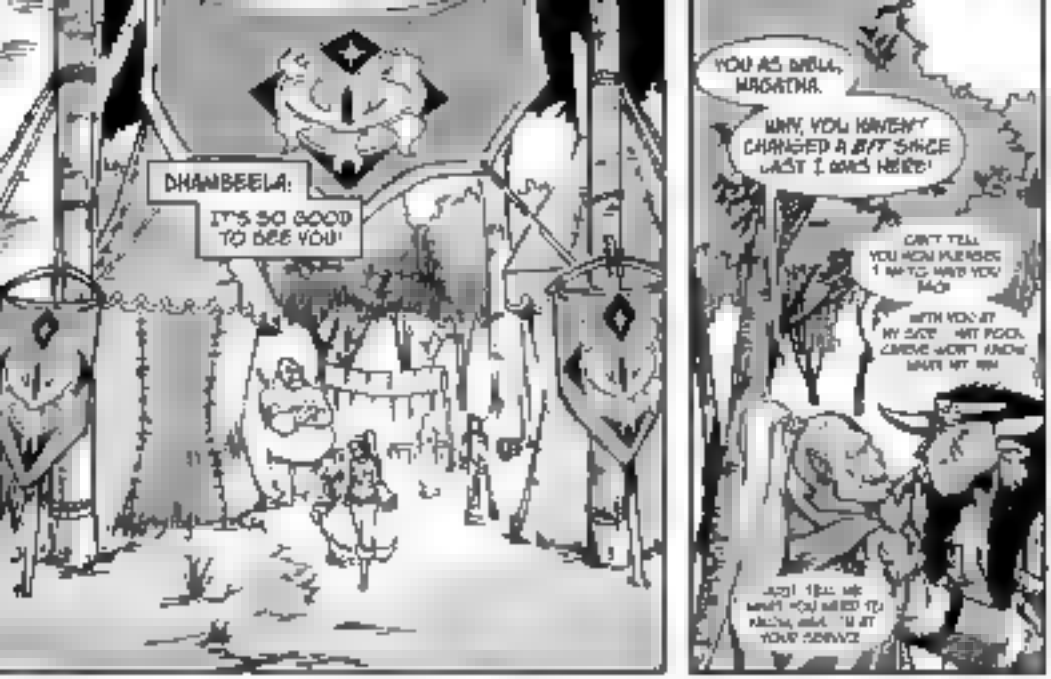


THANK YOU
MUCH
YOU'RE
WELCOME
AND YOU'VE
GOT A BIG SCARE
NOW, DO YOUR
LEGENDS

SPOKEN
LIKE A TRUE
SAVIOR

THE
MEANTIME!
IT'S
TIME


DHANBEELA:
IT'S SO GOOD TO SEE YOU!
YOU AS WELL, MAGATHA.
WHY, YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED A BIT SINCE LAST I SAW HER!
CAN'T TELL YOU HOW PLEASED I AM TO HAVE YOU BACK
WITH YOU AT MY SIDE... HIT FOOL GREEVE WON'T KNOW WHAT HIT HIM

HERE, I HAVE A PLACE ALL SET UP FOR YOU.
I'LL JOIN YOU IN A FEW MINUTES.
RIGHT THIS WAY, MA'AM.
WHY, THANK YOU. YOU'RE TOO KIND!

I KNEW YOU COULD DO THIS
THERE WAS NEVER ANY QUESTION
WELL, TO BE FAIR MISTRESS MAGATHA
I CERTAINLY DIDN'T DO IT ALONE

SO? YOU MEAN YOU WEREN'T ABLE TO SHOOT UP INTO SPACE OR SOMETHING?
THERE WAS NO WAY A BLACK KNIGHT WOULD HAVE BEEN HERE WE WOULDN'T BE HERE NOW
AND NEITHER WOULD DAMBRELLA
SO SOMEONE ELSE HERE YOU AWAKE AND THE WORLD DIDN'T GO TO A SUPERCHARGED HOT
NO MISTRESS I'VE LEARNED MY LESSON
THERE'S NOTHING WRONG WITH ALL BOTHERS HELP
I ALSO LEARNED THAT IT'S ESPECIALLY SCARY
WHEN IT'S THE HEAD OF A DRAGON

LATER, AT THE BASE OF THUNDER BLUFF
STEP RIGHT UP! THAT'S RIGHT. STEP RIGHT UP!
YOU WON'T BE SORRY!
A GRANDER, MORE EPIC TALE YOU'LL NOT HEAR IN YOUR LIFETIMES!
IT'S A TALE OF BRAVERY, OF BATTLE, OF BETRAYAL!
A SONG DESTINED TO BE SUNG AND SUNG AGAIN IN BANQUET HALLS THE WORLD OVER.
IT'S "THE SONG OF NILES COREBENDER AND KOVA BROADHORN"!
NOW PULL UP A PATCH OF GROUND AND LISTEN! IT STARTS ON A DAY MUCH LIKE TODAY.
END

WARCRAFT

LEGENDS

VOLUME TWO

FAMILY VALUES

CUT THEM DOWN!!
LEAVE NONE ALIVE!!
AAH!!

QUICKLY, BOY YOU MUST GO.
YAAAAAH!!
"I'LL MAKE YOU PAY, MONSTER !!"
UNNGHF!!
TRANSLATED FROM THE DRAGNET TONGUE
WELL... YOU GOT WHAT YOU'VE--)
(DO IT!)
(WHAT? I... YOUR EYES...!
(THE OTHERS. THEIR EYES GLOW RED LIKE EMBERS OF A DYING FIRE.
BUT YOURS DO NOT !)
(I SAID DO IT BOY! AVENGE YOUR FAMILY!!)
(DO IT NOW!!)
(I...)

CUT THEM DOWN AND TO THEY STAND!

I ONCE SHUNNED THE PATH OF VIOLENCE
WHICH IS WHY I SOMETIMES WONDER
THUNK
HUNK
WHEN I BECAME SO ADEPT AT IT
PANT HUFF PANT
BLOOD ON MY HANDS...
BY THE ANCIENT ELEMENTS, WHAT HAVE WE BECOME?!

HA!!
THAT'S THE SPIRIT BROTHER!
WE HAVE TO ESCAPE THIS MADNESS. HAVE TO TH-THINK.
THERE. THAT CAVERN.
MUST THINK.
(PLEASE, ALIUS, COME WITH US!)
(I CANNOT. MY LOVE I WOULD ONLY SLOW YOU DOWN.)
(AT LEAST THIS WAY, I CAN BUY YOU AND LEENA TIME TO ESCAPE.)
(I WON'T LEAVE YOU!)
(DADDY!)
(YOU MUST!!!)
(IF I AM ABLE, I WILL FIND YOU. I LOVE Y--)

FWUP
WHUMP

SHHTHUNK
BETTER SHOOT

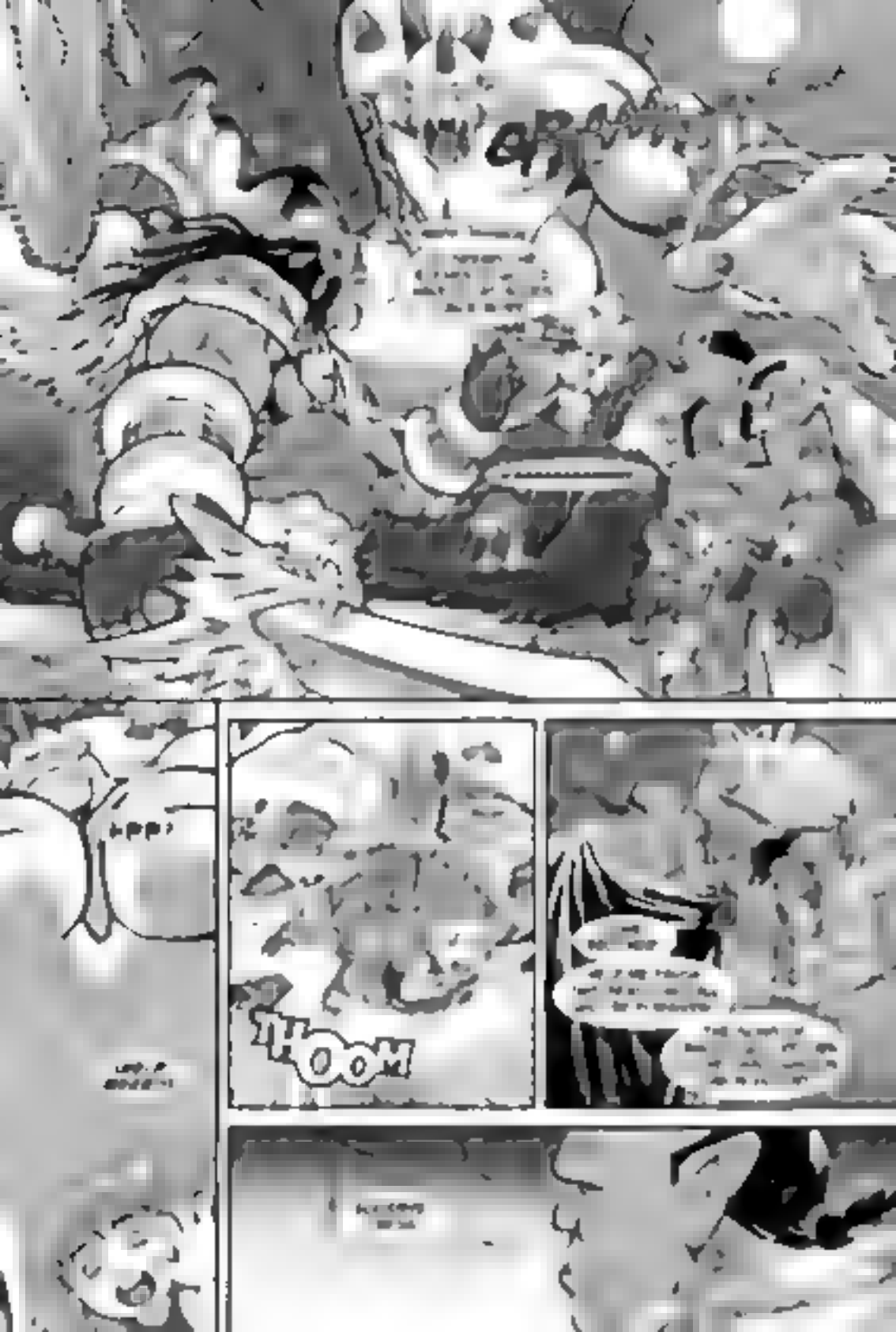
YOU
YOU HAVE NO RIGHT
TO CLAIM YOUR KILL?
YOU AND ARE FROM THE SHADOWBROOK CLAN. AND WE ARE WHAT WE ARE WITH AS OUR OWN WILLS
YOU WOULD DO WELL TO REMEMBER THAT
HAH HAH HAH
THE WORTHLESS BLUEFANG WILL DEMAND BREATH TO MOURN THE HORDE
TO PUNISH HIM
CAPTAIN
AFFIRM! ONE OF HIS KIND DON'T LAST A TRIAL BY THESE TRIALS
AND HERE I THOUGHT THE ELDERS ENTERTAINMENT WAS OVER
FETCH THE MOUNTS!
BEFORE WE TO THE BLUEFANG WE HAVE AN ARENA TO AND ON THE ROAD
AND FROM THAT ARENA THEN AND THEN FOR TO WE GO
I'LL TRY NOT TO CAUSE UP THE BREACH TOO BADLY
NO BUT YOU GET THERE
HUFF! GASP

CURSE THE ELEMENTS FOR FORSAKING ME!!!
YOU MUST HAVE SEEN WHAT WAS COMING YET SAID NOTHING! YOU ABANDONED ALL SHAMAN BEFORE THE CHALICE WAS PASSED AMONGST MY ORC KINSMEN!!
WE COULD HAVE TRIED TO FIGHT BACK AGAINST THE COMING DARKNESS. BUT YOU ABANDONED US ALL!!
BUT NO LONGER WILL I WAIT FOR YOUR RETURN! IF YOU WILL NOT SHOW ME THE WAY, THEN I WILL MAKE MY OWN PATH!!
AND THE HEAVENS WILL TREMBLE AT MY FURY!!!

THEN YOU SHALL SHARE ITS FATE!!
YOU ARE A FOOL ARUI!
KRUNCH
I'LL KILL YOU!!
AARRRH!!!
ARUI!

CYTHAIN!!!
SLASH!
BLOOD SOAKED FAE

NO!!!
EYAAAHHH!!!


KRR!
KOOM

PPPP
AAAAHH!!!!
AAAAHH!!!
AAAAAAAH
ARRRRRH
JAPUUUUUUK!!

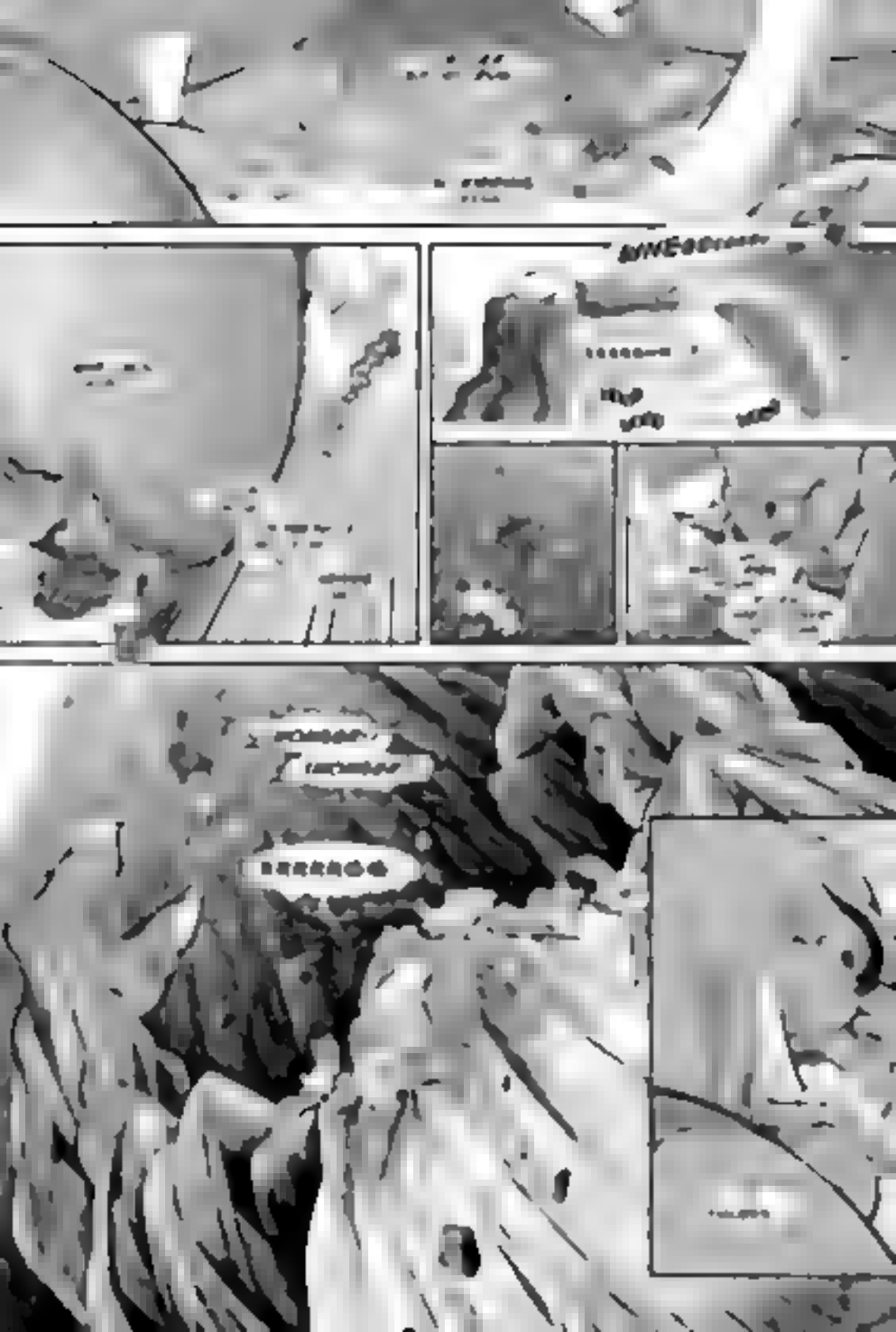
IT IS ALMOST DAWN.
WHY HAVE THEY NOT YET RETURNED?
THE CAPTAIN AND HIS WARRIORS LEFT HOURS AGO, CHASING DOWN A DEMENTED FEMALE. JAGUK THEN WENT AFTER THEM AND--
JAGUK HAS BETRAYED HIS FAMILY AND HIS CLAN.
CAPTAIN, YOUR FACE!
QUICKLY, FETCH A HEALER!
NO.
THE HEALER WILL TREAT ME AS WE TRAVEL. PACK UP THE CAMP.
WE RIDE AFTER THE TRAITOR AT DAWN!
(HAVE TO GO?
(HAVE TO GOOO!!)
(QUIET, GIRL!)
(YOU'LL BRING EVERY ROCK PLAYER WITHIN MILES DOWN UPON US!)
(AND I KNOW WE HAVE TO GO?
(WHY ELSE DO YOU THINK I'VE BEEN RUNNING FOR THE LAST THREE HOURS?!)
(NO! NOT "GO"!)
(I HAVE TO. MAKE WATER.)
(AGAIN?!

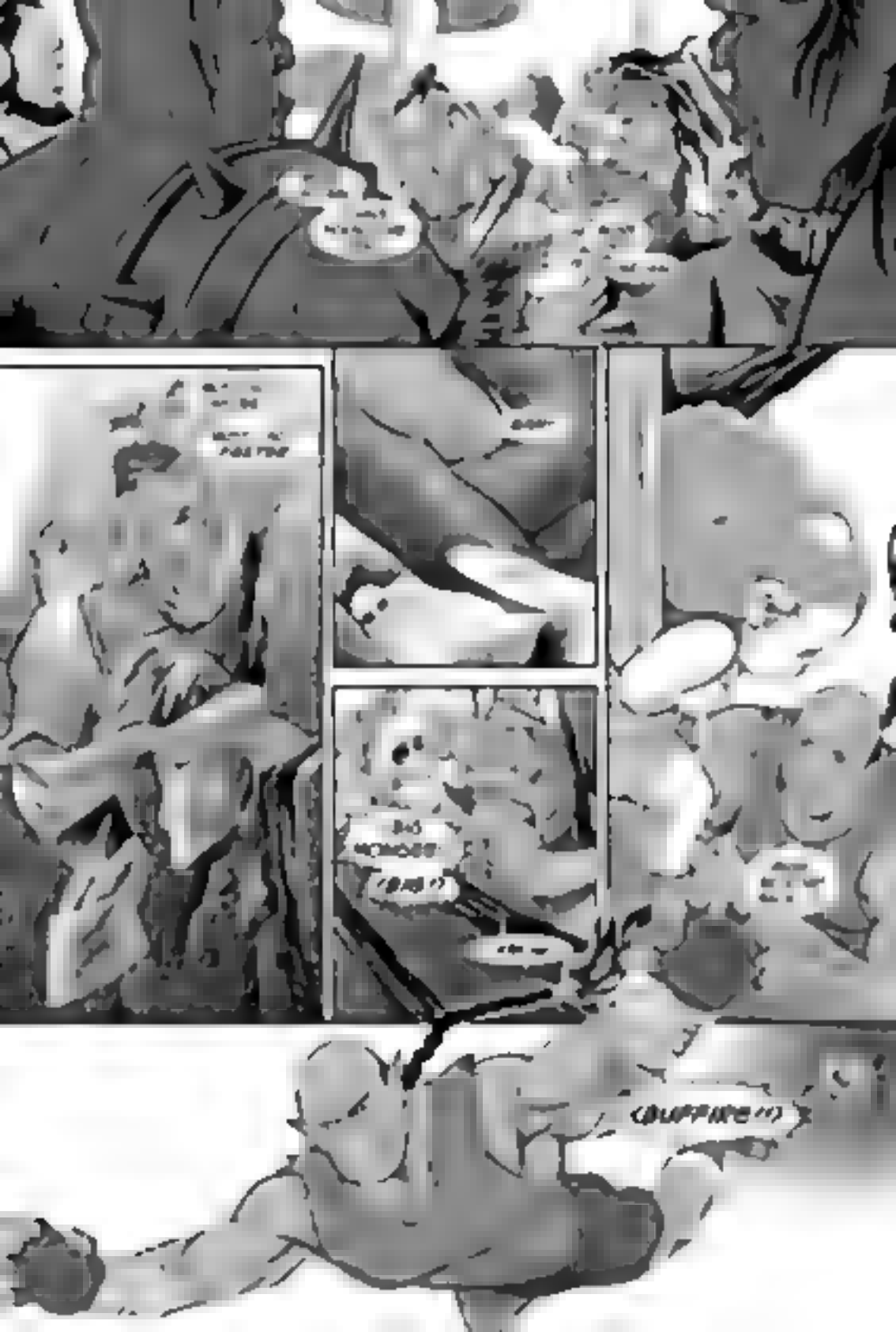
(I WANT MY MOMMY.)
JOIN THE CLUB, KID.)
(SMELLS)
(WHAT ARE YOU GRAFFING FOR?)
(BUT WHERE?)
(I CAN'T GO IF YOU LOOK.)
(SASH OVER BY THOSE ROCKS.)
(OUCH. (SOMETHIN BIT ME!)
(WHAT NOW?)
(LOOK, WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR YOUR CHILDISH WAY
YOU'RE BURNING UP!
A BITE MARK
NO!
A CAVERN CRAWLER HATCHLING.

JUST STAY AWAKE GIRL!
UNPUK GIRL BET YOU SOME MEDICINE DRINK?
JUST A LITTLE FARTHER
(I LEARNED MUCH OF MY TRADE HERE IN ZANGARMARSH)
I NEED ONLY FIND A SPECIFIC PLANT AND YOU WILL BE ALL BETTER
AH! HERE
GULP
GULP
THAT'S IT, GIRL. EAT. IT WILL MAKE YOU ALL BETTER
JUST EAT AND SLEEP IT WILL BE ALL

HERE CAPTAIN!
SEE THESE FOOTPRINTS? ONE LARGE ONE CHILD SIZED.
HE'S TRYING TO COVER HIS TRACKS, BUT IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S IN A HURRY
PERHAPS THE CHILD WAS BITTEN BY THAT CRUSHED ARTICHOKE
CUT TO THE CHASE. BAYOK:
WHERE IS HE GOING?!
WELL IF HE SEEKS TO NEUTERALIZE THE INSECT POISON THERE ARE HEALING PLANTS IN ZANDARAKESH
THEN THAT IS WERE WE'LL GO
HEE HEE HEE
ZZZZ SAVORY! WHAT?
<LOOKIT?
<LOOKIT?
GIRL WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
<COME OVER HERE
<NO!

RRRRRHN
OH
(COLD
OH!)

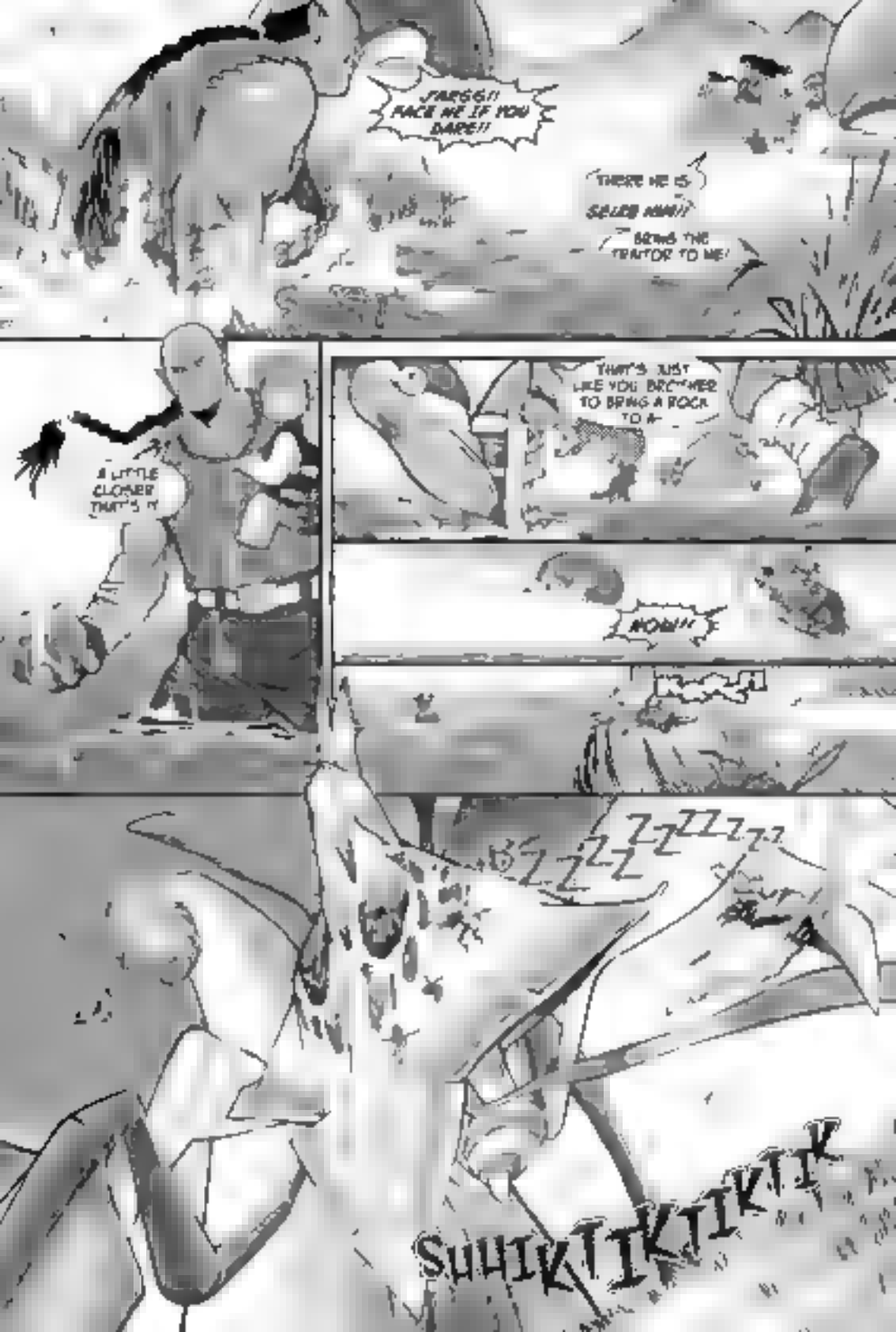


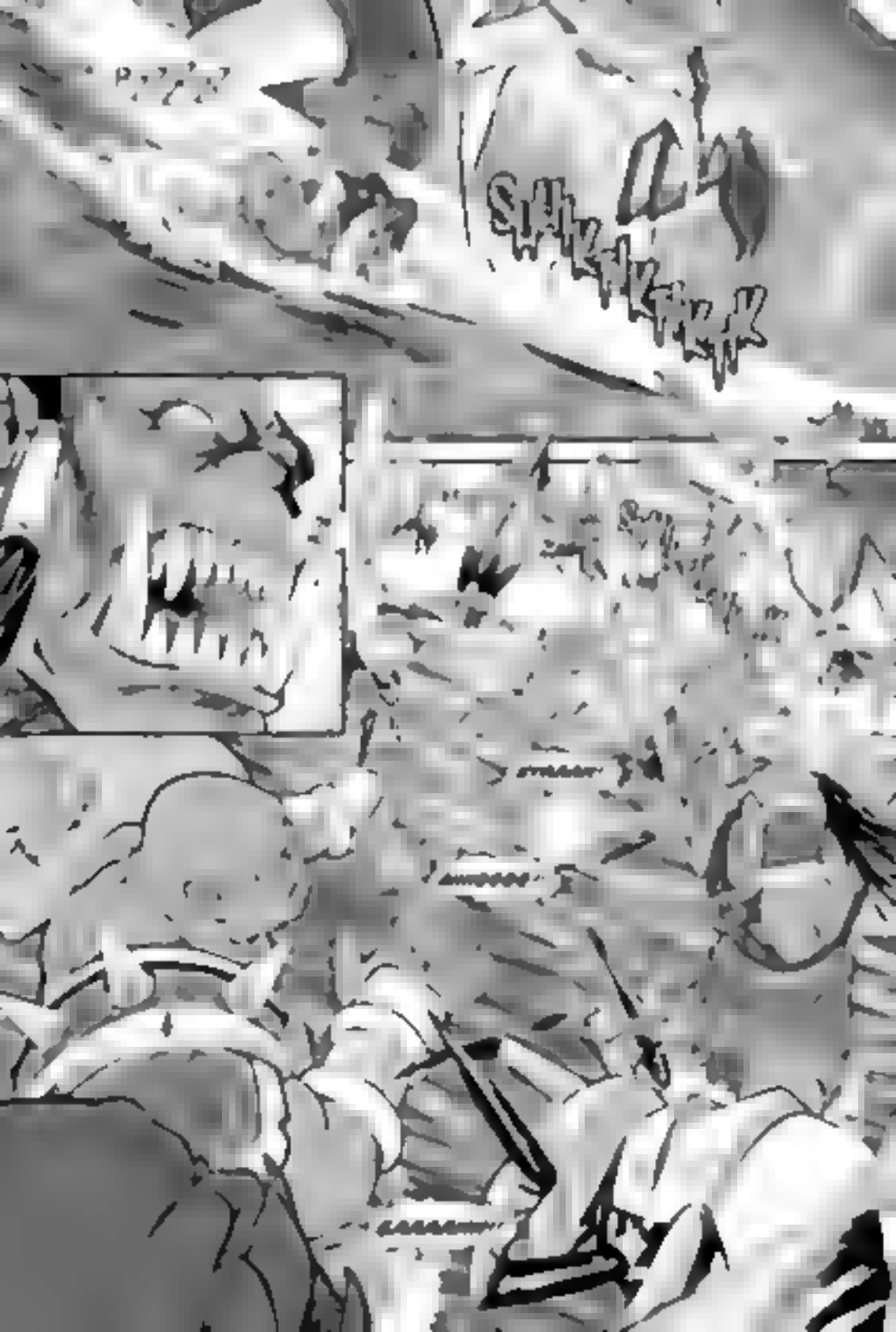


URGH
FWAM
AHHHH
I DON'T BELIEVE THAT WORKED
OH NO
GULP
EEEK!!

CRUSH
DOF
GIGGLE
DO AGAIN
(DO AGAIN)
TRY
SAID WHAT I'M ALIVE YOU MORONS
BLAST!

WHERE'D HE GO?
I DUNNO. CROSSED THE MARSH, MAYBE?
I'M NOT GOIN IN THERE NO TELLIN' WHAT'S IN THAT WATER.
CHECK THE WATER!
HE MAY BE HIDING IN THE REEDS!


JARGG!! FACE ME IF YOU DARE!!
THERE HE IS SEIZE HIM!!!
BRING THE TRAITOR TO ME!
A LITTLE CLOSER THAT'S IT
THAT'S JUST LIKE YOU BROTHER TO BRING A ROCK TO A-
NOW!!
SUHIKIKIKIK



AND SO IT CAME TO PASS THAT - A HALF-MADE ORC AND SHE AN ORPHANED ORACNE FOUNDLING, BECAME THE MOST UNLIKELY THING IMAGINABLE A FAMILY
SHE BECAME THE DAUGHTER I NEVER HAD FILLING AN EMPTINESS EVEN WAS UNAWARE OF
I TAUGHT LEENA THE WAYS OF THE ORC THE UNCORRUPTED ORC PASSING ON TO HER OUR LANGUAGE, CUSTOMS, BELIEFS AS FOR LEENA
SHE SHOWED ME WHAT IT MEANS TO BE HAPPY
BUT ALSO THROUGH HER EYES
AND THE AGONY OF DEATH
WITH MY BELOVED LEENA BY MY SIDE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN YEARS I HAD ACCOMPLISHED THE SEEMINGLY IMPOSSIBLE INNER PEACE
REDISCOVERED THE GLORY OF LIFE

LET ME GO, YOU STUPID CAT
WOW, WOW, DEL
IS THAT ANY WAY TO TALK IN FRONT OF AN OLD FARMER FRIEND?
FOOLISH BIRL, PUSHING OFF IN THE DEAD OF NIGHT
WHO KNOWS WHAT TROUBLE SHE MIGHT FIND?
WE ARE CLOSE TO THE MOUNTAINS EDGE JARUN.
MOST OF THE DANGER LIES INLAND. BUT YOU HAVE TRAINED HER WELL.
YOU HAVE BEEN KINDER TO US THAN I HAVE A RIGHT TO EXPECT CHANTU.
I WILL MISS YOU
SO YOU TWO ARE MOVING ON AGAIN?
WE MUST
ONLY BY MOVING CAN WE STAY SAFE AND NOT UNDUE ESSARILY ENDANGER THOSE WHO SHOW US KINDNESS
IS THAT WHAT THE ELEMENTS TELL YOU?
THE ELEMENTS ARE WORTHLESS OLD ONE
THEY STOPPED SPEAKING TO ME LONG AGO
AH. OR PERHAPS YOU HAVE JUST FORGOTTEN HOW TO LISTEN!
ARE YOU SURE YOU WON'T STAY?
SURELY YOUR BROTHER WOULD HAVE GIVEN UP BY NOW
YOU DO NOT KNOW MY BROTHER I AM AFRAID
GOODBYE CHANTU

FATHER!!
FATHER!
FATHER!
FATHER?

YOU'VE CAUSED ME QUITE A BIT OF TROUBLE BROTHER
AFTER YOUR LITTLE STUNT AT THE RIVER MY SOLDIERS TURNED ON ME ALL BUT ONCE.
BUT I HAVE DECIDED TO FORGIVE YOU
YOU SEE, I REALIZED SOMETHING AS I WENT BACK
YOUR DETERMINATION WAS NOT YOUR FAULT IT WAS MINE
I HAVE FAILED YOU BROTHER

NOT DRINKING FROM THE HALICE OF REBIRTH HAS MADE YOU WEAK
THAT IS WHY YOU FAIL TO DO WHAT IS RIGHT
AND THAT IS WHY I TRAVELED TO THE BLACK TEMPLE TO OBTAIN THIS· THE BLOOD OF AMANOPOTH

YOU SEE I'M NOT HERE TO KILL YOU BROTHER I'M HERE TO SAVE YOU
ONCE YOU DRINK THIS I WON'T HAVE TO KILL THIS LITTLE WORM YOU WILL

I USED TO THINK THE BLOOD HAD CORRUPTED YOU. BROTHER MADE YOU A MONSTER
BUT I WAS A COWARD.
THE BLOOD DIDN'T GIVE YOU CRUELTY IT MERELY GAVE YOU PERMISSION

HOLD HIM DOWN!!!

AAH! CAIN!
JUST AS WITH YOUTH, THERE IS FOE THIS
I WON
ETHAN-UEL!
AAH! ANAKIYUK
WHERE
NO
YOUR EYES, TH-THEY GLOW
WELCOME HOME

NOW, JARUK... IT IS TIME TO CONSECRATE THE PACT.
KILL THIS LITTLE WENCH, AND BE REBORN IN MAMMOKOTH'S BLOOD!
GLADLY, BROTHER... IF YOU WOULD BE SO KIND AS TO HOLD THE SQUIRMING LITTLE MASSOT FOR ME?
AH! WITH PLEASURE.
F-FATHER...
YOU'RE WASTING YOUR TEARS, GIRL... HE'S BACK WITH HIS TRUE FAMILY NOW.
SWEET-THUNK
THWAPK
KILL THEM!!!
PWRSSSH
GURGLE... HURK...

WHERE IS HE?! I CAN'T SEE!
I DON'T KNOW! I DON'T KNOW!
THWACK
HUPS... HUPS... HUPS...

DEMON'S BLOOD OR NO, I MISS...
HER-CK... GURGLE...
...MY PATH IS MY OWN.
AND YOU ARE NO BROTHER OF MINE.
FATHER!
A P-P-PATHO G-GAY... TRAITOR.
THUNK
CHEFFFT
BOOG!!
NOT HIM!
YOU CAN'T TAKE HIM, TOO!!

FATHER!!
FATHER... NO!
I-I CAN STOP THE BLEEDING!
JUST BE STILL...I-IT'S GOING TO BE OKAY...!
IT WAS THEN, AS I LAY DYING, THE ELEMENTS THAT I THOUGHT HAD LONG ABANDONED ME GRANTED ME MY FIRST VISION IN YEARS...
I SAW INTO THE FUTURE, WHERE LEENA, MY BELOVED DAUGHTER, IS A BEAUTIFUL SHAMAN WORKING SIDE BY SIDE WITH DRAENEI, ORCS AND OTHER CREATURES TO RESTORE THE BALANCE OF THE ELEMENTS.
Y-YES...I KNOW, LITTLE ONE...
E-EVERYTHING WILL BE...ALRIGHT, KIDS
END